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PATENT

File No.: A33218-PCT-USA-A-070338.0580

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Custodero et al.  
Serial No. : 09/583,652  
Filed : May 30, 2000  
For : REINFORCING ALUMINUM-BASED AND RUBBER  
COMPOSITION COMPRISING SUCH A FILLER

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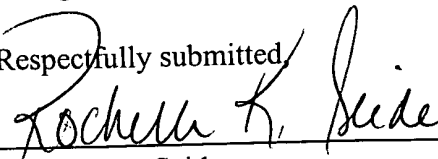
Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed August 10, 2000 in the above-identified application, a copy of which is attached.

Applicants have previously submitted the Declaration and a check in the amount of \$130.00 in payment of the surcharge for late filing of the Declaration. A copy of these papers, as well as a copy of the postcard, stamped by OIPE showing receipt thereof, is enclosed.

Applicants believe that no further fees are required. However, should any fees be required by this communication, they may be charged to Deposit Account No. 02-4377.

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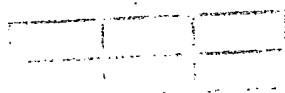
  
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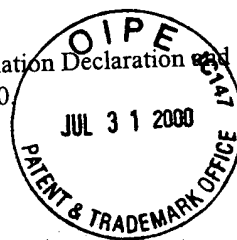
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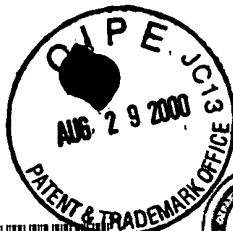
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*
  
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Filed : May 30, 2000

For : CARBON BLACK COATED WITH AN ALUMINOUS  
LAYER AND PROCESS FOR OBTAINING SAME

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PARTS OF APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(f)

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Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(f), enclosed herewith is a Declaration referring to the above-identified application by one or more of the following in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63:

- ☒ Name of inventor and application serial number;
- ☒ Name of inventor, attorney docket number which was on the application as filed, and filing date of the application;
- ☒ Name of inventor, title of invention and filing date;

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CERTIFICATE OF MAIL

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on July 26, 2000.

Rochelle K. Seide  
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Date of Signature



- [ ] Name of inventor, title of invention and reference to a specification which is attached to the oath or declaration at the time of execution and filed with the oath or declaration;
- [ X ] Name of inventor, title of invention. As presently advised, the undersigned, a registered attorney, states that the application filed in the PTO is the application which the inventor executed by signing the oath or declaration.


Also enclosed are:

1. [ X ] A check in the amount of \$ 130.00  
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 02-4377. A duplicate copy of this is enclosed.

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